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Department of Environmental Quality Office of Environmental Assessment

Supplemental Notice Regarding the Shreveport-Bossier City Metropolitan Statistical Area Early Action Compact Air Quality Improvement Plan State Implementation Plan (SIP) Revision (0409Pot1)

Under the authority of the Louisiana Environmental Quality Act, R.S. 30:2001 et seq., the secretary gives notice that the Office of Environmental Assessment, Airshed Planning Division, SIP Development Section, will submit a revision to the SIP for the Shreveport-Bossier City Metropolitan Statistical Area Early Action Compact Air Quality Improvement Plan. The SIP revision is mandated under the requirements of the 1990 Clean Air Act Amendments.

Through this medium, the department is advising that additional information regarding the methodology associated with the quantification and verification of the emission reductions from the energy efficiency or renewable energy measures used as control measure commitments will be included in the SIP revision.

A public hearing will be held at 10:00 a.m. on October 7, 2004, in the State Exhibit Museum Auditorium, 3015 Greenwood Road, Shreveport, Louisiana. Should individuals with a disability need an accommodation in order to participate, please contact Vivian H. Aucoin at (225) 219-3575 or at the address listed below. Interested persons are invited to attend and submit oral comments on the proposal.

All interested persons are invited to submit written comments concerning the additional methodology information no later than 4:30 p.m., October 29, 2004, to Vivian H. Aucoin, Office of Environmental Assessment, Box 4314, Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4314 or to FAX (225) 219-3582 or by e-mail to vivian.aucoin@la.gov.

A copy of the SIP may be viewed from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in the DEQ Public Records Center, Room 127, 602 N. Fifth Street, Baton Rouge, LA 70802 (225-219-3168), Shreve Memorial Library, 424 Texas Street, Shreveport, LA 71101 (318-226-5897); Bossier Parish Central Library, 2206 Beckett Street, Bossier City, LA 71111 (318-746-1693); Webster Parish Library, 521 East & West Street, Minden, LA 71055 (318-371-3080); DEQ Northwest Regional Office, 1525 Fairfield, Room 520, Shreveport, LA 71101-4388 (318-676-7476). An electronic copy is also available at http://www.deq.state.la.us/evaluation/ozone/index.htm.

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